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 DATE: 29 OCT 68

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 FROM: 25X1
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RE: [REDACTED] STATUS

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1. SORRY ABOUT THE DELAY IN ADVISING YOU CONCERNING

[REDACTED] WE HAVE HAD SEVERAL CONVERSATIONS WITH [REDACTED]

THIS SUBJECT AND IT APPEARS AF POSITION REQUIRES TERMINATION

[REDACTED] PROJECT STATUS JULY 1969. [REDACTED] ASSURES US HE

CAN OBTAIN U-2 QUALIFIED OPNS OFFICER AS REPLACEMENT AT

[REDACTED] IN VIEW OF ABOVE, I AM IN NO POSITION TO FURTHER ARGUE

THE POINT. THERE IS ALWAYS THE POSSIBILITY AF WILL HAVE

DIFFICULTY IN OBTAINING A REPLACEMENT. [REDACTED] STATES THAT

IN THIS EVENT HE WOULD ATTEMPT TO EXTEND [REDACTED]

IN MILITARY STATUS.

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THAT THE

CURRENT AF POLICY OF NOT ASSIGNING LT COLONELS TO THE SENIOR
SERVICE SCHOOL WOULD PRECLUDE [] FROM CONSIDERATION AT ^{25X1}
THIS TIME. AGAIN, THESE POLICIES COULD BE MODIFIED IF THE
INTERNATIONAL SITUATION CHANGES BETWEEN NOW AND NEXT SUMMER.
PLEASE ASSURE [] THAT WE HAVE HIS BEST INTEREST IN MIND ^{25X1}
AND, ALTHOUGH THIS MESSAGE SOUNDS A BIT COLD, WE ARE DOING
EVERYTHING WE CAN TO HELP HIM.

END OF MSG

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D/SA (In Draft)

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AD/SA
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COORDINATING OFFICERS

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